200 patients operated on annually for colon cancer at 10 local hospitals and one University Clinic

Enrolment of 3 local hospitals and one university hospital clinic.
170 patients surgically treated for colon cancer

Randomization of 170 patients 1 month postoperatively (baseline)

Hospitals excluded:
Volume < 20/patients/year (n=8)
Patients excluded:
- >75 years/age
- Dukes D
- No informed consent

Allocated to follow-up at hospital (control group, n=85)

Allocated to follow-up by GPs (Intervention group, n=85)

Follow-Up
2008-2011

2 years’ patient follow-up according to NGICG guidelines with registration of quality of life and cost elements every 3rd month

Analysis of EORTC-QLQ C30, EQ-5D, costs and serious clinical events

Data gathering and analysis is complete 2011

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